

The National Whig
MONDAY EVENING, JUNE 14, 1847.
FOR PRESIDENT, IN
1849,
MAJOR GENERAL
ZACHARY TAYLOR,
OF LOUISIANA,
THE HERO
OF
PALO ALTO, RESACA DE LA PALMA,
MONTEREY,
And Buena Vista.
Subject to the decision of the Whig National
Convention.

Under the caption of "SKETCHES FOR THE PUBLIC" the reader will find in this day's Whig, the first number of a series of off-hand papers, which a gentleman of much experience in political matters has consented to furnish us. His statement of facts, whenever made, will be found entirely reliable. Rumors and deductions that he may give will be taken as such, of course. He will give and treat of the prominent topics of the day, as they come up, and will support Taylor for the Presidency. Further than this, his sketches will speak for themselves.

"The country seems to have a just appreciation of the extraordinary merits of General Taylor," says Mr. Senator Evans, of Maine, in a letter to a friend at Buena Vista: "All his movements are characterized by the highest qualities of a soldier. Calm, sagacious, resolute, ready; with a boldness which never falters, a watchfulness never at fault, and a comprehensiveness of plan embracing all contingencies, he has won for himself the very highest military renown which it has ever been the fortune of an American soldier to reach. His letters and despatches are models of military writing, not surpassed by the justly renowned 'Wellington Despatches.' His main assertions of his rights as the Commanding General, show him to be possessed of moral courage in as eminent a degree as he is of physical. It affords some relief to the horrors of this war, that it has brought out to the knowledge of the country and the world, the fact that we possess a man and a soldier of such extraordinary merits. He is destined to receive from our people ample proof of their confidence and regard."

"Soldiers and diplomats—the hero of four battles—a man great for his military prowess, but greater for his discretion."

Beautiful, just, delicate sentiment! Proposed by Mr. Gerard at the Wheaton dinner in New York, and drunk with a roarious applause.

The U. S. Light Houses in the Maryland District are all reported to be in fine order.

A dumb boy was killed yesterday by being run over by the cars on the Susquehanna rail road.

One thousand India Rubber water tanks arrived at Cincinnati on the 1st instant on their way to old Zach's column.

The Missouri was beginning to pour down its yellow floods on the 1st inst.

Mitchell, the astronomer, at Cincinnati, has found the new Comet of Professor Colla, of Parma, near L. of the Great Bear.

On the 9th instant the 5th street market of Cincinnati, showed 1200 bushels of strawberries, and they went off from 4 to 12 cents a quart. There's industry for you!

The Juniata Rolling Mills of Pittsburgh turn out near half a million of iron manufactures yearly—says the P. Journal.

The Horticultural Society of Cincinnati have offered a premium of \$100 for a new species of strawberry larger than any species now produced in Hamilton county Ohio, and \$50 for a new species of raspberry larger, &c.

The superlative of excellence in the west now, is the expression Lieutenant General. A Lieutenant General of a boat, of a battle, of a majority, &c. for instance.

Prentice considers the Administration far worse than the Ursuline convent mob of Boston, for that despoiled only an edifice, while the Administration, if it had the courage, would rob the Holy Temples of a whole nation!

The trustees of the bondholders of the Illinois and Michigan Canal feathered their own nests last year and let the interests of their principals go by the board.

Dr. Brackenridge, President of Jefferson College, Canonsburg, Pa. has resigned, and is to be succeeded by Dr. Baird.

When a man dies drunk now-a-days, the coroner usually reports 'death by the visitation of God.' Would it not be more appropriate to say 'death by the visitation of drunkenness'?

Seven marriages took place on ONE DAY in Indianapolis, la. last week. Do you hear that girls?

The recent Education Convention called by law, have decided upon taking the sense of the people upon submitting to a small tax so as to pay for three months schooling of every child in Indiana yearly. The question is not to be taken on the general election day.

W. G. Ewing is the Whig candidate in the 10th Congressional District of Indiana for the next House. He will distance his opponent, Rockhill.

Mercer University, in Georgia, has 132 students and enjoys an endowment of \$138,000, &c. &c. It is a Baptist college.

THE MARYLAND WHIG CONVENTION.

For the selection of a candidate for Governor of that State and to be the standard bearer of the Whig party to preserve its ascendancy in the state councils, will assemble in the hospitable and gallant town of Cambridge on Wednesday the 16th instant. One hundred and three representatives will be in attendance. Their names we give in another column, and a more devoted company of Whigs cannot be found in any State. They are all men of the highest reputation in and out of the State—men who have stood by their flag in victory and defeat, in prosperity and adversity with a firmness which belongs only to the brave. They meet, not to rescue the State from the possession of the adverse party. That was done in 1844. But they assemble to choose a leader to perpetuate the power in the hands of a party whose administration of the public affairs of Maryland has proved to be of the highest benefit to the citizens and interests thereof. They come together, animated by but one desire, and that is, the advancement of the public weal. No party bickerings respecting this man or that will fret their councils, though an honest rivalry exists between parts of the Eastern Shore for the honor of the governorship. This rivalry, when it is once ascertained who shall be entitled to the honor, will take on a new form—a contest in the counties as to which shall throw the highest vote for the nominee.

The public interests of Maryland are now no longer a matter of pure party politics. The Whig policy is so obviously in accordance with the true interests of the State, that even the opponents of the Whigs, will not dare oppose it, in the coming election. Issues extraneous to the interests of the State, the Democratic leaders will not doubt attempt to create, but our friends are ready for them at every point. The Democrats will not dare to advocate the repudiation policy from which the Whigs have rescued the State by an energetic effort. And there is no other more important question of sufficient importance to draw the line of division with any degree of severity. The war, the next Presidency, will no doubt be dragged into the contest by our opponents, but here we have them again. The Whigs are the peace party, but while they are for peace, they go for sustaining the government by men and means—see votes of Whigs in Congress for means and see the politics of the volunteers, nine-tenths of whom are Whigs to the core—while it is in war with a foreign enemy. The Whigs point with pride to their noble brother Whig generals in the field. They embrace them all with the love of brethren, but there is one whom they love with more than a child's love. ZACHARY TAYLOR is a father to his brethren. Under him the whole Whig party of the Union are now marching to ascendancy in the Councils of the Republic. The people, the WHIG PEOPLE, have decreed he shall be their next President. In this decree they will be seconded by nine-tenths of their Democratic brethren, who are Whigs in heart and only ask for a general under whom they can enlist and serve without fear or favor. In General Taylor they have found that man. So—let the Democrats of Maryland make this is in the coming election if they choose. It will be one that they will never make again in a hurry. Victory awaits our standard with Taylor inscribed upon it in broad, bold letters and the nominee of the Whigs of Maryland for their next Governor, whoever that nominee shall be.

With such feelings will the Whig State Convention assemble at Cambridge. Who can doubt the issue? They will present the name of the strongest man personally and politically. The western shore Whigs go into Convention only to conquer. They will not be permitted by their eastern shore brethren to outvie them in sacrifices for the common good. Let the Convention remember the saying of the old Thunderer of Buena Vista to the brave Gen. Wool, after that terrible battle was over: "General, when we all pull together, no power on earth can beat us!" The action of this Convention will have an important bearing on the next Congressional (Md.) elections. The spirit of harmony is ever infectious. Let it preside over the deliberations of this Convention, and the Congressional District Conventions will be governed by the same impulse. We have not only to carry the next Governor. We have a greater work to perform if possible. The Whigs of Maryland must send an entire Whig delegation to the next Congress. It can be done, done easily. Only bring out our strongest men. Let the spirit of personal sacrifice prevail. Let everything be for the cause and nothing for men, and all will go right. Our Democratic friends—for they are friends, though opposed in politics—only want an opportunity to rebuke the men in power, the men whom they sent to the last Congress, for their trifling with the high interests of the country in the manner they have done. Let every Whig in Maryland afford his opponent that opportunity. Give the Democrats sound, true Whigs. Whigs who command the confidence of Whigs and the respect of Democrats, and the work is more than half done. All that remains to be done is to enlighten the Democratic mind of Maryland. Let public meetings be held. Let the Democrats be canvassed in every nook and corner. Let no man be without Whig light. Let it shine from the house-top. Let arguments be circulated, going to expose the hypocrisy and dishonesty of the men in power at Washington. And then the whole work will be done; and done quickly and done well.

The National Whig will faithfully do its part in the coming elections of Maryland. It will fearlessly discuss the miserable party issues continually thrust before the public by the mouth-piece of the President here, and expose their deformity. It will boldly unmask the vizzed faces of the corrupt men now wielding with such fearful consequences the energies of the people's Government. It will present every day and every week, full and correct intelligence of the popular feeling in every election precinct of the State, so that from this centre point, this information may go back among the people, and they may see how nobly their brethren are every where pulling together for victory. It will only be for our Maryland Whig friends to say the word, and the National Whig shall be to them in the coming election what Bragg's, Washington's, and Duncan's artillery were to old Zach at Buena Vista, Palo Alto, and Resaca de la Palma. It will give the enemy

plenty of grape."—but like the Hero whose name flies at its mast-head, it will never pursue friends or a fallen foe. For Democrats who are ready to abandon their old organization, the National Whig will ever have an open, welcome hand. And now, here's to the old Maryland line—like the Hero of the Mexican battle fields, it "very respectfully declines" according to the request of the enemy to surrender. Such a line is worthy of being led into battle by Zachary Taylor, for with both a battle is synonymous with victory.

The United States and Mexico.

"For ourselves, says *El Herald*, printed in Spain, "we believe that Mexico, is already virtually blotted out of the list of independent nations. What can be expected of a nation, distracted by revolutions and contests for ephemeral power, when the enemy is at its gates, and that no common enemy, but one who aims at nothing less than the destruction of its nationality? What can we expect of a nation, where the clergy—the richest Catholic clergy in the world—refuse the smallest sacrifice in favor of the country, and prefer the precarious possession of worldly goods to the salvation of the land?"

"The army without resources, even without food—the rickety politicians of the capital conspiring to overthrow the established order of things—the clergy occupied in secreting their valuables, and in exciting the fanatical opposition of the people against the sale of their property, without considering whether the Anglo-Americans will appropriate it with less ceremony—a great part of the country occupied by an army highly disciplined, composed of men whose energy is proverbial, and abundantly supplied with every kind of munitions; what can result from all this? We look upon the consequence as inevitable. Enthusiasm will be reawakened in the United States. An irresistible torrent of volunteers will inundate Mexico. And it will not be long before the Eagle of the Union will light in triumph upon the ancient of Montezuma."

"We, as Spaniards, cannot but lament this result. The last remains of the magnificent work of Hernan Cortez are about to disappear and one of the most brilliant pages of our history will be bound, so as to speak in the volume of the stranger. Sorrowful effects of revolutions! of demagogical tendencies prematurely engraved on a nation without stamina to support the effects of unholy ambition!—Thirty years of independence have not sufficed to make the Mexicans a nation, notwithstanding they have held in their hands the richest elements that Providence ever placed within reach of the human family. And why? Because they have strayed from the proper path; because they desired to form a republic with the materials fit only for a monarchy; because they converted, by a simple decree, the ignorant and oppressed Indians, the dregs of the population, ignorant until then even of the language of their lords, into free citizens, possessing all the rights which a free nation could give. We now behold, too late, the unavoidable evils which this error drew after it."

"And now, is it not permitted to ask what the nations of Europe think of the indefinite extension which the American Union is acquiring, and which it carries forward with as much safety as rapidly, sometimes by arms, sometimes by money, sometimes by emigration, without ever appearing to consider the morality of the means which it employs? Will they permit it to absorb, successfully, the whole continent of America, and so form a nation by the side of which the most powerful states of Europe would appear as ridiculous pygmies?—Will they consent that it shall consolidate its conquests, and make them the base of operations from which to invade in succession the states of Central America, where are to be found some of the most magnificent harbors in the world? Will they permit it, without obstruction, to reach the Isthmus of Panama—its golden dream—and thus yield to it one of the principal keys to the commerce of the globe."

"Time alone can answer these questions—but the history of the past affords us but little comfort for the future. Within this century the Union has acquired, successfully, the Floridas, Louisiana, and Texas, and it is now about to acquire the California and some of the richest provinces of Mexico. Who shall fix limits to the power of the active race which peoples it? Let it once extend to Panama, and its might will be irresistible. It will hold the dominion of the seas; it will monopolize the commerce of the whole earth. And when the English language is spoken on all the shores of the Mexican Gulf, what human power will be sufficient to prevent the Island of Cuba and the English Antilles from falling by their own movement, and the impulses of irresistible attraction, into the arms open to receive them?"

Whoever will take the trouble to read the above thinking, says the N. O. Delta, will not fail to discover that the editor of *El Herald* is a philosopher in his review of the past, an enlightened observer of the present, and, in all human probability, a true prophet of the future.

There is to be a grand rally of the friends of the old Thunderer of Buena Vista at Tippecanoe in Indiana, in the course of the summer. The whole state will be there!

John Hazlett, the murderer of a free negro in Rockbridge county, Virginia, has been caught.

Yesterday week, the 6th instant, a fire in Columbus, Georgia, destroyed property to the value of \$15,000.

Gubernatorial Convention.

The following gentlemen have been appointed delegates to the Whig Gubernatorial Convention, which assembles at Cambridge, on Wednesday next, 16th June, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the office of Governor of Maryland:

ALLEGANY.—Norman Bruce, J. C. Roman, C. C. McCulloh, John M. Brewer, S. P. Smith.
WASHINGTON.—John Newcomer, Jacob Snively, George Schley, Edward M. Mesley, Thomas E. Buchanan, George French.

MONTGOMERY.—James N. Allnut, R. J. Bowie, A. B. Davis, E. Dawes. One vacancy.
CALVERT.—A. R. Sellers, Richard Estep, John Bond, Dr. William Robinson.

PRINCE GEORGE'S.—Dr. B. I. Sommes, George W. Duvall, William H. Tuck, Thomas Duckett, Edmund B. Stephen.

CHARLES.—John D. Freeman, George Brent, George P. Jenkins, John Hughes.

ST. MARY'S.—Col. J. T. Blackstone, Col. C. Coombs, Edmund J. Plowden, Henry Fowler.

ANNE ARUNDEL.—Charles R. Stewart, John T. B. Dorsey, Nicholas B. Worthington, Dr. Stevens Gambrill, William O'Hara, Zach. Duvall.

FREDERICK.—William J. Ross, Major R. Cole, Peregrine Fitzhugh, David Schley, John Bartholow, Dr. Charles Bear.

CARROLL.—Nicholas Gardner, Dr. Nathan Brown, Major Jacob Mathias, Col. Joshua C. Gist, John Smith.

BALTIMORE COUNTY.—Hon. John Wethered, William Matthews, Charles A. Buchanan, Peter F. Cockey, William Taggart, Edward Worthington.

BALTIMORE CITY.—Major James Grieve, Robt. St. John Stuart, William Wickersham, Col. George P. Kane, J. Morrison Harris, Nicholas L. Wood.

HARFORD.—William J. Polk, Henry W. Archer, James Jacobs, Francis Butler, Richard J. Jackson.

CHESAPE.—Hamilton Morton, James H. Jamar, Jacob Hyland, Elias Reynolds, Cornelius Smith.

KENT.—William F. Smyth, Samuel W. Spencer, Joseph Usilton, Alexander Harris.

QUEEN ANNE'S.—Mathias George, Clinton Cook, Thomas H. Kemp, William Holmesley.

TALBOT.—Dr. Rossum, William C. Skinner, Hoses Goldsborough, Jr., Charles Craig.

CAROLINE.—George W. Harrington, Jacob C. Wilson, Col. John Nichols, Col. Z. W. Potter.

DORCHESTER.—Capt. William Sullivan, Levin Keen, Col. John H. Hodson, Reuben Tall, James A. Waddell.

SOMERSET.—John W. Chrisfield, Isaac D. Jones, John J. Dashiell, John Turner, John Curtis.

WORCESTER.—Levin L. Dirickson, Levin P. White, Levin H. Townsend, Elijah Holloway, Edward Lambden.

Theophilus Fisk, the mesmeriser and John Tyler's Bearer of Despatches to Berlin, has taken to preaching again.

The Georgians are disputing about carrying the Western and Atlantic Railway from Cross Plains to Chattanooga. The Cross Plains party wish it to stop at their town. It is the imperfection of the law which causes the quarrel.

The Whigs of Gwynnett and Campbell counties, have declared in council assembled for General Taylor for President, and no one else!

Allen Kirby, convicted of murder of Capt. Vance, is to be hung for the crime at Laurensville, S. C. on the 6th of August next.

Bolling has taken the field in Dromgoole's old District. Mr. Meade, you may as well come down, for Captain Scott has fixed his eyes upon you!

The Athens, Ala. Patriot hoists the name of Nicholas Davis of Limestone county, for the next Governor. Mr. Davis is a stern Whig. The Patriot believes that it only requires a shoulder to shoulder canvass to elect him.

Captain Calhoun, of Columbus, and Capt. Allerson, of Atlanta, Ga., just returned from the wars as 12 months' men, have offered to raise a regiment of 1000 men in 60 days if wanted. Both these gentlemen are 'Mexican Whigs'—Mr. Polk's 'traitors'!

Ripe figs at Montgomery, Ala. the 1st instant.

PITTSBURG, June 12. There are 3 feet 11 inch in the channel. Sales of flour at 5 87 to 56. Receipts very light. Sales whiskey in bbls at 23c. Sales western cheese at 6cts. Sales pot ashes at 4 50. Sales live hogs per 100 lbs at 4 50. Sales tallow at 8 cts. Sales sheep, per head, from 1 to \$1 50.

BALTIMORE, June 12. Sales of \$2000 U S treasury 6's at 105 1/2 to 105 5/8. Sales of Baltimore 6's at 101. B and O Railroad at 49.

NEW YORK, June 12, p. m. Sales of 22,000 bbls of flour at \$8 75 to \$8 81. Rye flour \$7 25. Large sales of wheat at \$2—of 40,000 bush. at \$1 16 to \$1 27. Corn meal \$5 56. Mess pork \$17. Mess beef \$13 50.

PHILADELPHIA, June 12, p. m. Flour \$8 37 having fallen 75c. Rye Flour \$6 56. Corn meal 5 37 1/2. Sales of 29,000 bushels wheat at 2 02 to 2 15. Rye at 1 22. Sales of 35,000 bushels corn at 1 14 to 1 15.

M. HOFFER, DENTIST, 44 street, five doors above Penn. avenue, east side. Teeth inserted on gold plate in better style than done in the city, and cheap accordingly. June 14—tf

SONS OF TEMPERANCE.—The members of Crystal Point Divisions No. 3 are hereby notified that the Division will meet on Monday evening, the 14th instant, at 8 o'clock, in the new room, in the Temperance Hall on E street, and every Monday evening thereafter. The members are earnestly solicited to attend, with all Sons of Temperance in good standing in their several Divisions.

The room is fitted up with neatness and elegance, and will afford to the brethren of the order a happy resort to spend an hour to their profit, and the good of the great Temperance cause. June 12—tf T. G. FORD, W. P.

FOR RENT.—The dwelling over the store occupied by Mrs. Hamilton, on Pennsylvania avenue, south side, between Ninth and Tenth streets, containing seven fine sized rooms, and in good order. To a small family the rent will be moderate. Inquire of Mrs. HAMILTON. June 11—tf

BOARDING.—MRS. J. R. TAYLOR has several vacant rooms, some of them suitable for Families. Gentlemen wishing board without lodging, can be accommodated. A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited. Residence corner Penn. avenue and C street, over Lemuel J. Middleton's Grocery Store. June 11—lm

TO INVENTORS.
PATENT AGENCY
AT
Washington City, D. C.
BY
WILLIAM P. ELLIOT,
FORMERLY OF THE PATENT
OFFICE.

THE SUBSCRIBER, for more than twenty years connected with the Patent Office, and for many years official Surveyor of the City of Washington, having relinquished all business connected with his Architectural, Engineering, and Surveying departments, in order to devote his whole time and attention to the service of Inventors, Patentees, and persons interested in Patents, and to establish a permanent Agency at the Seat of Government for the use and benefit of that important class of the community, offers his services to all persons desiring to make inquiries respecting the originality of Inventions and Discoveries, and the practice of obtaining Patents in the United States, and relating to all kinds of business required to be transacted at the Patent Office: such as making searches, and preparing papers and drawings for applicants for Patents, Caveats, Assignments, Agreements; amending Rejected Claims, and presenting them for re-examination; attending to Appeal Cases, Interfering Applications, and drawing up papers relating thereto, and to taking evidence respecting the originality of Inventions. He will also attend to making out petitions for the re-issue, renewal, extension, and restoration of lost Patents; apply for Withdrawals, and for Patents for Additional Improvements and Designs; make Disclaimers, and procure copies of Patents, Deeds, Drawings, &c., and have them recorded. He will also superintend Commissions for taking testimony relating to Patents, to be used in the United States Courts in the several States. He will likewise attend to the drawing of Bills in Equity, in cases of Appeal, and attend to the cases at court; to giving opinions on the legal validity of Patents granted, and legal opinions on all other points touching Patent cases; to furnishing copies of decisions on points of law relating thereto; to explaining the practice of our courts in deciding Patent cases; and to all business of a legal character relating to Patents. In the discharge of the above named duties, the subscriber will be assisted by gentlemen of the highest legal attainments, and by artists of the first eminence.

The subscriber having (during a tour through Europe) made arrangements with able and respectable Agents in LONDON and PARIS, will attend to the procuring of Patents in ENGLAND and FRANCE, and will explain the practice of procuring patents in other Foreign Countries.

The undersigned offers his services to Agents and Applicants for Patents residing out of Washington, whose cases may have been rejected at the Patent Office, on account of defective claims, or the misapprehension of the Examiners, arising from obscure descriptions. In such cases he will make the required examinations and personal applications, and necessary amendments to the papers. His long experience in this branch of the business will enable him to give satisfaction. When it is known that many of the rejected claims might be carried through the office successfully, if properly presented and explained, the importance of this branch of the Agency will be duly appreciated.

The subscriber will also attend to procuring Models where required to be made from drawings or written descriptions. Also to having drawings done in Lithography.

His terms will be according to the nature and extent of the services to be performed. The usual retaining fee, however, of five dollars, will generally be expected in advance. The charge for making an examination will be about five dollars.

The other charges for the simplest cases will be as follows:

For preparing papers—viz: Petitions, specification and oath . . . \$5 00
For preparing original drawings . . . 5 00
Do. duplicate . . . 5 00
For Agency fee . . . 5 00

For complex cases the charges will vary from \$20 to \$100.

For integrity of character, persons unacquainted with the undersigned are respectfully referred to members and ex-members of Congress who have resided in Washington; and for qualifications he refers to his own works, (one of which is the design of the building in which the Patent Office is arranged,) and to the annexed testimonial of an individual well known to the whole country, and to whom, more than any one else, it is indebted for the present splendid establishment, and excellent code of laws relating to Patents, that reflect so much credit on his name.

Testimonial of the Hon. H. L. ELLSWORTH, Late Commissioner of Patents.
PATENT OFFICE, February 15, 1842.
MR. WILLIAM P. ELLIOT, who has been formerly employed in the Patent Office as Draughtsman, &c., having established a Patent Agency in the City of Washington, I take great pleasure in recommending him as a gentleman worthy of confidence, and as being particularly qualified to take charge of any business requiring a knowledge of Mechanical Science, Progress of the Arts, and Patent Improvements. Mr. Elliot is also well acquainted with the practice of this Office.

HENRY L. ELLSWORTH,
Office directly opposite the Patent Office, corner of F and Eighth streets.
W. P. ELLIOT,
June 11—ly Solicitor for Patents.

MRS. E. REEDER, Milliner, Dress and Corset Maker, Penn. avenue, between 1st and 2d streets. June 12

R. FINLEY HUNT, DENTIST, Washington City, Penn. av. between 9th and 10th st. June 11

COLUMBUS O. WALL, Cabinet Maker and Undertaker, corner of 6th and G streets. June 11

DAVIS & GARRETT, HOUSE CARPENTERS and JOINERS, On 44 STREET, BETWEEN PENN. AVE. AND C ST. WOULD respectfully beg leave to return their thanks to their friends and the public who so promptly came forward with their donations and enabled them to rebuild their shop which was destroyed by fire a few months since with all its contents. They are now prepared to execute all orders in their line of business with promptness and despatch, trusting themselves that all work confided to their trust shall be performed in a manner that will give entire satisfaction, and their prices keep pace with the times.

N. B.—Thankful for past favors, we would respectfully solicit a continuance of the public patronage. DAVIS & GARRETT. June 11—lm

BOARDING. Mrs. PIERCE has the pleasure of informing her friends and the public that her house having been refurnished throughout, is now reopened for the accommodation of boarders by the week, month, or year. Her table will be furnished with the best the market affords; her house is situated on Pennsylvania avenue, a few steps from that delightful retreat the Capitol grounds. No pains will be spared to make her house a pleasant home to those who may favor her with their patronage. June 9—lm

MAY REPORT.—The Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company (office No. 11 Wall street, New York) issued during the month of May, 1847, 142 new Policies, viz:

To Merchants & Traders	44	To Teachers	5
Clerks	10	Ladies	6
Manufacturers	15	Agents	2
Mechanics	17	Farmers	5
Physicians	7	Sea Captains	4
Clergymen	3	Students	3
Lawyers	4	Public officers	2
Brokers	2	Professors	1
Innkeepers	3	Other Occupations	12

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Number of policies issued in May
ROB. L. PATTERSON, President.
BENJ. G. MILLER, Secretary.
J. C. LEWIS, Agent, 7th st., Washington.
HARRY LINSLEY, Physician, corner of C and 4th streets. June 7—2aw4t

BECK'S
DAGUERRETYPE ROOMS,
Removed to the corner of 7th street and Penn. avenue, over Stott's Drug Store.

ACCURATE and highly finished Portraits for \$1 50, Groups in proportion.
A Post Mortem cases attended to with promptitude and certain success at a reasonable advance. A share of the public patronage is most respectfully solicited.
June 1 tf J. H. B. BECK.

GREAT BARGAINS!
JUST FROM THE MANUFACTURERS—A large supply of gentlemen's fine Summer Boots, from \$2 to \$3 50.
Ladies' Fine Slippers, from 50 cts. to \$1.
As large an assortment as can be found in any other store in the city of Philadelphia.
Ladies, and Gentlemen's, Misses, Children's, and Boys' Boots, Gaiter Boots, and Shoes of every description, as cheap for cash as they can be had in the city, at the PHILADELPHIA SHOE STORE, Corner of F and 11th streets, Smith's new. J. E. FOWLER. may 31 lm

BON TON HOUSE,
BON TON BOWLING SALOON,
Corner of Pennsylvania and New Jersey Avenues, Capitol Hill.

JAMES CASPARIS has the honor of informing his friends and the public generally, that his House and Saloon continue open for the accommodation of visitors who desire to while away a pleasant hour in healthful exercise.
He keeps on hand the best liquors, and is ready to furnish at a moment's notice all the fashionable beverages of the day.
His Reading-room is supplied with all the papers of the city and District.
Gentlemen visiting the Capitol grounds are requested to give him a call.
Just received, a large lot of the best imported SEGARS.
may 31 lm

"ROUGH AND READY" PANTS.
A few more left, at fifty cents a pair.

Also, running off at auction prices, a good assortment of SUMMER CLOTH, Tweed and Linen Coats, Satin, Silk, and White Marseilles Vests; Cassimere, Linen, and Gambroon Pants; with Shirts, Suspenders, Drawers, Handkerchiefs, and a variety of Fancy Goods.
WM. B. LEWIS
Penn. avenue, near 11th street.
may 29 1w

ADAMS & CO.'S EXPRESS.
REMOVAL.

ADAMS & CO. take this method of informing the public, that they have removed their OFFICE from their former place of Business, Elliott's Buildings, to the large and convenient Store-room, three doors below Gadsby's Hotel, Penn. avenue, and a few doors below the Railroad Depot, where they are now more fully prepared to receive and forward all descriptions of packages to the following places:

Boston, Richmond, Cincinnati,
New York, Petersburg, Louisville,
Philadelphia, Pittsburg, St. Louis,
Baltimore, Wheeling, &c. &c. &c.
Adams & Co. will also forward specie and other valuables, and Collect Drafts, Notes, &c., on all the above places at reasonable rates.
G. S. McELFRESH,
may 27—eo2m Agent.

HATS, CAPS, STRAW GOODS,
AND WARDROBE ARTICLES.
Gentlemen's Outfitting Store.

M. H. STEVENS, Brown's Hotel, calls the attention of his customers, citizens, and strangers, to the large and elegant assortment of—Long-napped Oregon Beaver Hats
Dress and blue gossamer Summer Hats
Black lustrated Mole skin Hats
Do. gossamer and ventilated Cassimere Hats.
Also, a small assortment of fine Panama, Manilla, Straw and Leghorn Hats.
Military and Naval Chapeaux and Undress Caps for the Army and Navy, for every grade of the service, on hand, or made to order.

Wardrobe Articles.
Shirts, Drawers, Gloves, Robes de Chambre, &c. All of which will be sold at reasonable prices.
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